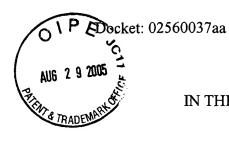
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 25, 2005, and based on the telephone voice mail exchange between the undersigned and the Examiner which took place on August 16, 2005, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows to place it in *prima facie* condition for allowance.

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